

Al King Joins CRAB Team

With the departure of Chris Mudgett, CRAB needed to fill a large hole in our organization to meet the needs of all the inter-governmental liaison work that Chris did. We are happy to report that we have been more than fortunate to gain the services of Al King, familiar to most of you in his guise as the Counties' main contact and Local Highways and Programs. For those of you who don't know Al, here's a short bio of his illustrious career:

Al King joins CRAB with more than thirty years of engineering and management experience. A University of Washington graduate, Al is a licensed Professional Engineer in Washington, California and Alaska.

Al spent ten years as the Okanogan County Public Works Director and County Engineer, and fifteen years in a variety of positions at WSDOT from Local Traffic Services Engineer to Acting Assistant Secretary. His most recent responsibilities there were as the Operations Engineer in H&LP with oversight of the Certification Acceptance program as well as design and construction of federal aid projects statewide. Al brings a wealth of knowledge to aid counties in their ongoing quest to deliver the best transportation programs in the state and the country.

In addition to his professional background, Al has been engaged over the years in a wide variety of community activities. Currently he is the Squadron Operations Officer, Search and Rescue Pilot and Check Pilot for South Sound Composite Squadron, Civil Air Patrol.

When Al's not in the office, his first focus is on his wife Linda, their two sons and family.